

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 662

By Powers

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Brenda Lewis Graham upon her appointment to the Montgomery County Election Commission.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable individual is Brenda Lewis Graham, who was recently appointed to serve a term on the Montgomery County Election Commission; and

WHEREAS, a native of Lynchburg, Brenda Lewis Graham is the daughter of Guy and Shirley Lewis; and

WHEREAS, a retired educator who spent more than forty years in the classroom, primarily at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, Ms. Graham received her bachelor and master degrees from Middle Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, an active part of her community, Brenda Lewis Graham is a member of the MTSU Alumni Association Board of Directors, the Montgomery County Republican Party, and the Montgomery County Republican Women and a former member of the Tennessee Board of Cosmetology and Barber Examiners; and

WHEREAS, Brenda Lewis Graham enjoys the love and support of her family, Philip, Ashley Elizabeth, and Don; and

WHEREAS, the success of the State of Tennessee, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of our society depend, in great measure, on the dedication of people such as Brenda Lewis Graham, who use their considerable talents and resources to serve others; and

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly find it appropriate to pause in their deliberations to honor and congratulate Brenda Lewis Graham for her many contributions to the good people of Tennessee, her unwavering commitment to public service, and her astute leadership; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Brenda Lewis Graham upon her appointment to the Montgomery County Election Commission, thank her for her meritorious service to the State of Tennessee, and extend to her our best wishes for every continued success and happiness in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.